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The Rising Generation of the South.

When people are poor they are foolish to attempt to live as if they were rich. The old and young, the males and females, of every family which has the misfortune to be poor, ought to bear the burden together, and ought to work together to increase the common store. If there is but one working person in the family, and he is generally the father, his nose will be kept at the grindstone from one year's end to another, unless he has a well-ordered household. The wife can greatly aid him by a cheerful temper, and by instilling into the young people lessons of economy and industry. To attempt to live as rich people do, when a family is poor, is not only a shame and a cheat, but it makes the head of such family a hopeless slave and drudge, and absolutely perpetuates the poverty so sedulously sought to be concealed.

We are, with few exceptions, all poor alike in the South. Let us not be ashamed of it, and not commit the folly of increasing and continuing it by contemptible shifts to hide it. It is an evil, but the way to conquer it is to look it in the face; to go to work, and to practice economy. If that an over-worked father makes a consumed in supporting sons in idleness and daughters in all the extravagance of fashionable dressing and display, what earthly prospect will there be of an improvement in circumstances? If the over-worked head of the family lives under all his burdens, he lives to see increasing helplessness all around him, that family which ought to be a source of comfort to him. If he dies, a victim to his heavy burdens, he leaves behind him sons untrained to work—possibly of expensive if not dissipated habits, and daughters without any resources whatever, and miserable because they cannot continue to keep up the poor delusion that they are part and parcel of the fashionable world.

No situation in life can be more galling than that of a poor family striving to hide its poverty by aping the fashions. If the efforts made by its members to keep up a false show were but directed to useful ends, the result would be most propitious. As it is, all they can do is to keep their heads above water and be tolerated in the world of fashion. To compass this pitiful end they pass through purgatory. They sacrifice self-respect, solid comfort and all the sacred duties of domestic life in order to get an uncertain and very humble position in that society which is called fashionable. This is unworthy of people who have a spark of intellect. It will, if it becomes prevalent among us, be more disastrous even than the war was. It will fasten poverty upon us for successive generations and make us a set of social cheats and humbugs.

If thoughtless boys and giddy misses are allowed their way, they will, of course, keep away from the tasks of life and seek only its pleasures. But they ought not to be allowed to have their way. They should be controlled. The boys should be brought up with the idea that life has its serious duties and responsibilities, and that chief among them is the courage to work; and the girls should be taught that they cease to be the ornaments of domestic life when they sacrifice every thing to fashion and empty show.

Real gentility is something higher and nobler than mere fashion; and genteel poverty is far more respectable than the vulgar snobbery that so many weak minded and white blooded people cultivate all their lives long. It will be an evil day for Virginia when she becomes a prey to snobbery. The high repute in which she has so long been held was the result of the solid virtues and the true refinement of her men and women. Mere fashion had nothing to do with it. Her position will be any thing but a proud one when she has to point to the puppets of fashion as her best claims to consideration.—Rich. Eng.

A CORRESPONDENCE.—The Fairfax News says:—The following are exact copies of two letters picked up on the road folded together, a few days ago. The first breathes the warmest love but the latter shows that a few days has turned all the passionate love into icicles. Here they are.

FATFAX, April 29.
My dear Jonney, it is with pleasure I set myself to answer your kind and well come letter which I received late yesterday. I was glad to hear you were well. My Dear John you wanted me to meet you next Sunday, it is out of my power. My Dear John I will be so glad to meet you Sunday after, you said you were going to Ohio my Dear you don't hurt my feelings as I will be so glad to stick to my promises I am glad to hear that you don't think hard of me. I wish you love me as I love you I am sure you would not forget me if you was to go away I am sure I would not live a week no more than 10 days. I hope we will be married soon and then I can see you all the time, I wish I had my arms around your sweet neck how happy I would be. I wish I had one sweet kiss from your sweet lips, you said in your letter you wanted me to send you word whether I would have you yes I will I am ready any time you say so, you need not mind my parents for when I get ready I shant ask them.

FATFAX, April 29.
If you love me as I love you,
No wife would out our love in two.
My Dear Jonney please keep me in your mind you don't know how much I love you, you must not give my kisses away we are amany amiles apart. But still we are joined in heart, when shall I see that happy time when I will be yours and you will be mine. Dear Jonney take care of yourself good By Dear Jonney from your Dear,
Anna.

Here follows her next.
"Mr. — Sir I want you not to send me any more Letters for I have changed my mind all to gether hear from your rings I will try and get your other ring from Mr. D—, and send it to you, I hope you won't speak to me any more and I will do the same I am very much obliged to you for sending me your hair, take it I don't want it so keep your distance from me I hope when you send another letter to a girl you want seal it with soap so good By for ever.
The motto prefixed to the above interesting correspondence is the following:
Tis sweet to court,
But oh how bitter
To court a gal
And then not get her.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.

The symptoms of Liver Complaint are uneasiness and pain in the side. Sometimes the pain is in the shoulder, and is mistaken for rheumatism. The stomach is affected with loss of appetite and sickness, bowels in general constive, sometimes alternating with laxity. Often complaining of weakness, debility and low spirits. Sometimes many of the above symptoms attend the disease, and at other times very few of them; but the liver is generally the organ most involved. Cure the Liver with

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The head is troubled with
LIVER

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SAMUEL H. LUNT.
aug 21-tf

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aug 2-tf

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COOK & CREIGHTON,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
PURE DRUGS AND CHEMICALS, PAINTS,
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Prompt attention given to orders and inquiries from the country.
mar 9-tf

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sep 23-tf

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Jan 8-tf

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Jan 10-tf

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SPRING AND SUMMER ASSORTMENT OF
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He invites his friends and customers to call and examine his stock.
mh 22-tf

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Just received, direct from the manufacturers, a large lot of

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AN ENTIRELY NEW STOCK.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

Washington, D. C., my 3-3md&tw

FINANCIAL.

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BURKE & HERBERT,

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OFFICE COR. KING AND WATER STS.,
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Bonds and Stocks bought and sold on commission.

Loans negotiated, Sight Drafts, Checks and Time Bills collected on all accessible points and remitted for promptly.

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nov 11-tf

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sep 1

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Give me a call.
jan 8-tf

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jan 3-tf

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All orders and consignments promptly attended to, and goods forwarded without delay to consignees on arrival.

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mh 10-tf

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Also, Eastern and Potomac SHAD, HERRING and MACKEREL.

Choice brands of SEGARS and TOBACCO always on hand.

Strict attention paid to the sale of COUNTRY PRODUCE.
je 18-tf

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aug 31-tf

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feb 1-tf

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nov 21-tf

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my 3-tf

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oct 21-tf

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ap 18-codwky

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jan 20

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